

HAYNESVILLE FIELD

01-612 and 01-613

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, JULY 31, 2001**, upon the application of **MARATHON OIL COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Basal Smackover Zone, Reservoir A and Smackover C Zone, Reservoir C**, in the Haynesville Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations and create a single (1) drilling and production unit to be designated as BSL SMK RA SUA for the Basal Smackover Zone, Reservoir A, as shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To force pool and unitize all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within said unit, with allocation of production from each unit well to the tracts within the unit therefor to be on the basis of surface acreage.
3. To designate Marathon Oil Company as the operator of BSL SMK RA SUA to be created hereby.
4. To designate the Marathon Oil Company - G W Taylor Heirs 15 No. 2 Well as the unit well for the proposed BSL SMK RA SUA.
5. To authorize applicant to commingle downhole the production from BSL SMK RA SUA and SMK C RC SUJ in the Marathon Oil Company - G W Taylor Heirs 15 No. 2 Well or in any other well drilled on said units.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Basal Smackover Zone, Reservoir A, in the Haynesville Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as that volatile oil and/or gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between depths 11,285' and 11,408' (ELM) in Marathon Oil Company - G W Taylor Heirs 15 No. 2 Well, located in Section 15, Township 23 North, Range 8 West.

The Smackover C Zone, Reservoir C, in the Haynesville Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 35-N-2, effective February 24, 1988.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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